

**GOVERNMENT OF TELANGANA**  
**ABSTRACT**

Irrigation &CAD Department – Ground Water Department - Estimation of annual replenishable ground water resources-constitution of State Level Committee for re-estimation of ground water resources- Orders – Issued.

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**IRRIGATION & CAD (MIG.1) DEPARTMENT**

**G.O.Rt.No. 762**

**Date:01.09.2017,**  
**Read the following:**

1. G.O.Ms. No.38 I&CAD (WRG-GRC) Department, dated: 14-11-2014.
2. From the Joint Secretary (A&GW), GOI, Ministry of Water Resources, River Development and Ganga Rejuvenation, New Delhi, D.O.No.T-13014/1/2017-GW, dated: 16.06.2017
3. From the Director, Ground Water Department, letter No.5729/Hg/GEC/2017, dated .07.2017 and 15.07.2017.

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**ORDER:**

The Joint Secretary (A&GW), GOI, Ministry of water Resources, River Development and Ganga Rejuvenation, in his letter 2nd read above has informed that the last State wise assessment of annual replenishable ground water resources for the entire country was carried out taking 2013 as the base year has been finalized. Since then substantial changes have been observed in ground water scenario in many parts of the country and to initiate the process of re-estimation of ground water resources using the ground water estimation methodology 2015 (GEC-2015). Further informed that the Government may be advised to take necessary follow up action in this regard on priority.

2. The Director, Ground Water Department, in his letter 3<sup>rd</sup> read above has requested the Government to Constitute the State Level Committee for initiating the re-estimation of annual replenishable Ground Water Resources as on 31<sup>st</sup> March 2017(for the base year 2016-17) for the State of Telangana.

3. Government, after careful consideration of the request of the Regional Director, Central Ground Water Board, Southern Region, Government of India, Hyderabad/ Director, Ground Water Department hereby constitute a State Level Committee for Re-estimation of Ground water resources with the following (22) members.

1	Special Chief Secretary, Irrigation and Command Area Development Government of Telangana	Chairman
2	The Director, Ground Water Department, Government of Telangana	Member
3	The Engineer-in-Chief, Rural Water Supply and Sanitation (RWS) Department, Government of Telangana	Member
4	The Commissioner, Agricultural Department, Government of Telangana	Member
5.	The Director, Water Technology Centre, Professor Jayashankar Agriculture University, Rajender Nagar, Hyderabad.	Member

6	The Chief Engineer, Minor Irrigation Department, Government of Telangana	Member
7	The Chief Engineer, Hydrology, Government of Telanagana	Member
8	The Commissioner, Industries Department, Government of Telangana	Member
9	The General Manager, NABARD, Hyderabad	Member
10	The Engineer-in-Chief, Panchayat Raj Department, Government of Telangana	Member
11	The Commissioner, CADA, Government of Telangana	Member
12	The Director, National Geophysical Research Institute, Government of India	Member
13	The Director General, State Remote Sensing Application Centre, Government of Telangana	Member
14	The Managing Director, State Irrigation Development Corporation Ltd., Government of Telangana	Member
15	The Chief Engineer, Inter State Water Resources, Government of Telangana	Member
16	The Director, Directorate of Economics& Statistics, Government of Telangana	Member
17	The Professor & Head, Water Resources Department, Jawahar Lal Nehru Technological University, Kukatpally, Hyderabad.	Member
18	The Professor and Head, Department of Geology Osmania University, Hyderabad, Telangana State.	Member
19	The Chief Engineer, Operation & Rural Electrification, Telangana TRANSCO, VIDYUTSODHA, Khairatabad, Hyderabad	Member
20	The Commissioner, Rural Development Department, Government of Telangana	Member
21	The Engineer-in-Chief , Public Health Department, Government of Telangana	Member
22	The Regional Director, Central Ground Water Board, Southern Region, GOI, Hyderabad	Member Secretary

4. The Committee may co-opt any Member(s) / Special invitee (s), if necessary.

5. The board terms of reference if the committee would be as follows:

- i) To estimate annual replenishable ground water resources of the state in accordance with the ground water estimation methodology.

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- ii) To estimate the status of utilization of the annual replenishable ground water resources.

**Time Frame:**

6. The above committee will submit its report within one year from the date of its constitution.

**Expenditure:**

7. Expenditure on account of TA/DA to official members of the committee will be met from the source from which they draw their salaries.

**(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF TELANGANA)**

**VIKAS RAJ  
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

To  
The Director,  
Ground Water Department, Government of Telangana.  
(All the concerned members through the Director,  
Ground Water Department)

Copy to:  
The Finance (EBS-IX) Department.  
The Director of Works & Accounts, M.J. Market, Hyderabad.  
The Accountant General, Telangana State, Hyderabad.  
The P.S. to Hon'ble Minister (Irrigation)  
The P.S. to Special Chief Secretary to Government, I&CAD Deptt.  
The P.S. to Principal Secretary to Government, I&CAD Deptt.  
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**SECTION OFFICER**